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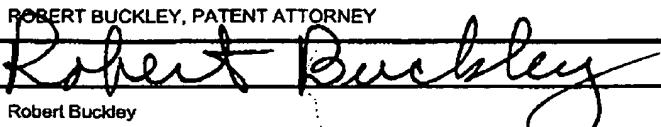
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5 **In re application of:** **Sharif et al.**
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 For: **" System and Method for Internet Appliance Data Entry
 and Navigation "**
10 **Group No.:** **2673**
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Status of Claims: Claims 1 – 20 are pending and are rejected.

30 **Summary of Claimed Subject Matter:**

Claim 1 is the only independent claim, claims 2 – 20 depend directly or indirectly from claim 1.

Claims 1 – 6, 10, 11, 14 and 15 define an Internet appliance that takes the form of
35 set top box permitting a user to employ a hand-held device, such as a TV remote or a wireless telephone, to create a reduced keyset keystroke sequence for text entry, text